

AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS

Claim 1 (currently amended): A suspension control device, comprising:

a mechanical switch having a first side connected to an electric appliance;

a control cord having an end connected to a second side of the mechanical switch; and

an electronic sensor having a first side connected to ~~the control cord~~ the electric appliance and the first side of the mechanical switch and a second side connected to ~~the electric appliance~~ the end of the control cord and the second side of the mechanical switch.

Claim 2 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the control cord is flexible.

Claim 3 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the control cord has a bar-shape.

Claim 4 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is mounted on the control cord.

Claim 5 (currently amended): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is connected to the mechanical switch in a parallel manner, so that the electronic sensor and the mechanical switch ~~[[can]]~~ produce a control signal to drive and operate the electric appliance synchronously.

Claim 6 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is a photoelectric type sensor.

Claim 7 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is a static electric type sensor.

Claim 8 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is a capacitance type sensor.

Claim 9 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is a resistance type sensor.

Claim 10 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is an electric current type sensor.

Claim 11 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is a piezoelectric type sensor.

Claim 12 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is a vibration type sensor.

Claim 13 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is a thermal sensitive type sensor.

Claim 14 (original): The suspension control device in accordance with claim 1, wherein the electronic sensor is a magnetic type sensor.